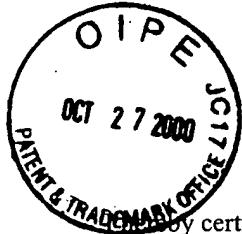


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### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an amendment in the above patent application in response to the Office Action of April 25, 2000.

Petition for Extension of Time enclosed.

No additional fee is required.

Also enclosed: Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132; postcard

No. of Claims After Amendment		Most Claims Previously Paid			Extra Claims			Additional Fee	
A. Total Claims	28	-	29	=	0	x	\$18	=	\$0
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C. If amended to contain multiple dependent claims, add 270							\$270	=	\$0
D. Total Amendment Fee (Total of A, B & C)								=	0

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Respectfully submitted,

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